GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2612
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APPROVED DOCTORS/DISPENSARIES IN FARIDABAD
AJAY CHAKRABORTY

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are aware that a large number of Central Government servants entitled to medicare facilities under the CGHS are living in Faridabad;

(b) if so, the details of CGHS approved Doctors/Dispensaries functioning at present in Faridabad and authorized to refer CGHS beneficiaries for specialized treatment to Hospitals in Faridabad;

(c) whether there is any proposal under Government consideration to authorize more Doctors/Dispensaries and Hospitals for treatment/Hospitalisation to meet the increasing number of beneficiaries of Central Government servants settling in Faridabad; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI A. RAJA)

(a) Yes, Sir. There are 4501 CGHS card holders which comprises 19,205 beneficiaries (both serving and pensioners) who are registered with the CGHS dispensary at Faridabad.

(b): CGHS beneficiaries residing in Faridabad can avail medical facilities in Central/State Government hospitals including Badshah Khan Hospital (of the State Govt.) in addition to the 63 private hospitals/diagnostic centres which have been recognised under CGHS Delhi vide Department of Health`s O. Ms. dated 7.9.2001, 15.3.2002, 6.5.2002 and 14.5.2002.

(c) & (d) Recognition of private hospitals under CGHS is an ongoing continuousprocess. Escorts Hospital and Research Centre, Faridabad has recently applied for recognition under CGHS Delhi.